

FRENCH ROYALTY.

The Rough Time Generally that French Kings Have Had. "Uneasy lies the head that wears the crown." It is the sentiment put into the mouth of Henry IV. ...

Louis Philippe, the royal predecessor of Louis Napoleon, began by fleeing for his life from the republicans of '89, and ended by fleeing before the republicans of '48. ...

Charles X, a true Bourbon of the direct line, who had learned no good nor forgotten any evil in the exile and adversity of his race, insisted on ruling as a Divine right. ...

Louis XVIII, a baby king, a mere legitimist phantom of royalty, died in the Temple from privation and neglect. ...

Louis XV le Desire, a minister of profligacy, the friend of Pompadour and Dubarry, the proprietor of Le Parc aux Cerfs, died a king and in his bed, but with none to close his eyes, for every attendant was away from the dying couch, either on pleasure or to pay court to the rising sun. ...

Henry IV, the great King, the Frenchman's royal ideal, lived a youth of courtly captivity, and after a manhood which was attained by his crown by abjuring his religion, and died by the knife of Ravalliac in 1610. ...

Charles IX, the abettor of St. Bartholomew's Day massacre, died of disease of body and mind, brought on by remorse for the horrid crime. ...

Henry III, a profligate and unprincipled ruler, was assassinated by Jacques Clement, a Dominican monk, in 1589, and masses were offered in church for the assassin. ...

Henry II, a brave and able prince, to whom was owing the annexation of Metz, Verdun, and Toul, with the adjoining country, as the price of his alliance with Brandenburg (now Prussia) against Charles V and Austria. ...

Francis I, the last of the kings of chivalry, fell before the astute policy and vast power of Charles V, against whose combinations of Spanish infantry and German Lanzknecht with French generalship, the brilliant victories of Marignan were powerless. ...

Charles VII, during whose reign Joan of Arc rescued France from the English, closed a not inglorious reign by falling into a melancholy and starving himself to death. ...

Charles VI, during whose reign the desperate civil war of the Armagnacs and Burgundians raged, became insane, and was virtually a prisoner in the hands of either faction. ...

or east bank of the Honduh, about six miles from Llanthangel. Its history was narrated on the spot by Mr. E. Roberts, F.S.A. The ruins are carefully preserved, albeit some portions of them are desecrated in the eyes of archaeologists by being utilized. ...

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CITY ORDINANCES.

RESOLUTION To Authorize Certain Transfers in the Annual Appropriation to the Board of Health. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to place upon the public plans a street to be called Mantion street, of the width of thirty-eight feet, beginning at a point one hundred and thirty feet south of the southern end of Federal street, and extending from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street, and at right angles therewith, also a street of the width of thirty feet, extending from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street, at a distance of one hundred and fifty feet south and parallel with Washington avenue, to be called Alter street; and also a street of the width of twenty feet, beginning at the distance of one hundred and twelve feet east from the east side of Seventeenth street, and extending from Baltimore to Fitzwater street, to be called Sterilizing street, said street having been laid out prior to the law restricting of streets.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—JOHN EKSTEIN, Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-seventh day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

RESOLUTION Of Approval of the Contract and Securities for the Erection of Two Additional Wings to the Inmate Department of the Blockley Almshouse. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the contract between Messrs. Herbert and Esick and the City of Philadelphia, for the erection of two additional wings to the Department for the Inmate at the Almshouse for the City of Philadelphia, is hereby approved, and that George Herbert and Esick, Charles Anderson, Joseph Bilbrough, Hugh Maxwell, and Thomas Buchanan are hereby accepted as security for the faithful performance of said contract.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—ABRAHAM STEWART, Assistant Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-eighth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

RESOLUTION To Make an Appropriation for the Building of a House of Correction. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of four hundred and fifty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, to be taken from a loan to be hereafter created, for the purpose of paying for the building of a House of Correction on the ground situate at the mouth of the Pennypack creek, in the Twenty-third ward. The same to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on House of Correction.

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RESOLUTION To Authorize the Opening of Manakin street. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Chief Commissioner of Highways be and he is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Manakin street, from Diamond street to Susquehanna avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of notice the said street will be taken for public use.

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RESOLUTION To Authorize the Grading of Cresson street. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Cresson street, from Dawson street to East street, in the Twenty-first ward, to the established grade of the city, at a cost not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars.

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RESOLUTION To Lay Water Pipe on Alter and Apple Streets. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Chief Engineer of the Water Department be and he is hereby authorized to lay water pipe on the following streets, to-wit:—Alter street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth streets, in the Twenty-sixth ward. Apple street, from Dauphin to York street, in the Nineteenth ward.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—BENJAMIN H. HAINES, Clerk of Select Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-seventh day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

CITY ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE Directing that Certain Streets be Placed upon the Public Plans. Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Department of Surveys be and is hereby authorized to place upon the public plans a street to be called Mantion street, of the width of thirty-eight feet, beginning at a point one hundred and thirty feet south of the southern end of Federal street, and extending from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street, and at right angles therewith, also a street of the width of thirty feet, extending from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street, at a distance of one hundred and fifty feet south and parallel with Washington avenue, to be called Alter street; and also a street of the width of twenty feet, beginning at the distance of one hundred and twelve feet east from the east side of Seventeenth street, and extending from Baltimore to Fitzwater street, to be called Sterilizing street, said street having been laid out prior to the law restricting of streets.

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RESOLUTION Authorizing a certain transfer to be made in the appropriation to the Fire Department for the year 1870. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the City Controller be and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfer to the item of appropriation made to the Fire Department for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—ABRAHAM STEWART, Assistant Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-eighth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

RESOLUTION To Change the Place of Holding Election in the First Division of the Fourteenth Ward. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the place of holding the elections in the First Division of the Fourteenth ward be and the same is hereby changed from the northeast corner of Eleventh and Calow streets, to the public school-house on Wood street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, the former place being no longer available for that purpose.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—ABRAHAM STEWART, Assistant Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-eighth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

RESOLUTION To Enter Satisfaction on the Official Bond of Richard Pelz, Receiver of Taxes, for the Term Ending January, 1869. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the City Solicitor be and he is hereby directed to enter satisfaction on the official bond of Richard Pelz, Receiver of Taxes for the term ending January, 1869 (D. C. S. B. September term, 1869, No. 381). Provided the City Controller shall certify that his accounts are settled and there is no default.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—ABRAHAM STEWART, Assistant Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-seventh day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

RESOLUTION To Authorize the Grading of Montgomery Avenue. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to grade Montgomery Avenue from Broad street to Eighteenth street, to the established grade of the city, at a cost not exceeding six hundred and sixty-two dollars.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—ROBERT BETHELL, Assistant Clerk of Select Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-seventh day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

CITY ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE To make an appropriation to the Board of Education for the erection of a new School Building on Washington Street, Manayunk. Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of fifteen thousand two hundred and fifty dollars, to be taken from the loan for school purposes, approved May 18, 1870, be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Board of Education of the First School district for the purpose of erecting a new school building on Washington street, Manayunk, the plans and specifications therefor to be approved by the Committee on Schools of Councils, and the contract for the erection of the same to be awarded to the lowest bidder; the provisions for the erection of the same to be opened in the presence of the Committee on Schools of Councils and of such bidders as may choose to be present, provided that the said contract and the certificates therefor shall first be approved by these Councils. The warrants to be drawn by the Board of Education in accordance with existing ordinances.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—BENJAMIN H. HAINES, Clerk of Select Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-eighth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

AN ORDINANCE To make an Appropriation to the City Commissioners. Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of eight thousand eight hundred and ten dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the following items in the annual appropriation to the City Commissioners, viz:—To item 10. To pay auditor appointed by the Court to audit the accounts of county officers, fifty dollars. To item 23. To pay fees of Coroner, four thousand dollars. To item 53. To pay for printing division transcripts, four hundred and forty dollars. To item 54. To pay for printing canvassers' lists, two hundred and twenty dollars. To item 60. To pay for distributing ballot boxes, one hundred dollars. To a new item to be called item 78, to pay road jurors, four thousand dollars.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—JOHN EKSTEIN, Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-eighth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

AN ORDINANCE To make an Appropriation for Lighting the City, and for the purpose of Erecting Additional Gas Lamps during 1870. Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of three thousand one hundred and twenty dollars and fifty cents (\$3125.50) be and the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of erecting seventy-five additional gas lamps for the year 1870, as follows:—Item 1. For the erection of seventy-five new lamps, at twenty-nine dollars and fifty cents each, two thousand two hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$2212.50). Item 2. For lighting, cleansing, extinguishing, repairing, and furnishing gas for new lamps, at twelve dollars each, nine hundred (\$900) dollars. And the warrants shall be drawn in conformity with existing ordinances.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—JOHN EKSTEIN, Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this nineteenth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

SUPPLEMENT To an Ordinance to Change the Boundary Lines of the Third Division of the Twenty-sixth Ward. Whereas, In said above-mentioned ordinance, by an error in describing a boundary of the said Third division of the Twenty-sixth ward, a portion of said district was unintentionally excluded, whereby questions may arise as to the rights of certain qualified electors residing therein; therefore,

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—BENJAMIN H. HAINES, Clerk of Select Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-eighth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

RESOLUTION To Construct a Fewer across Tioga street. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Department of Highways be and is hereby authorized and directed to construct a sewer across Tioga street, on the line of Ninth street, in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor. The cost of the same to be chargeable to item 3 of the annual appropriation to the Department of Highways for the year 1870; provided the cost thereof shall not exceed the sum of nine hundred and eighty dollars.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—JOHN EKSTEIN, Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-eighth day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).

RESOLUTION To Transfer a Certain Item in the Appropriation to the Department of Highways for the Year 1870. Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the City Controller be and is hereby authorized and directed to transfer from item 28, for drainage of meadows in the First and Twenty-sixth wards, twelve thousand dollars to item 6, for grading streets and roads.

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MOBIL SALES.

M. THOMAS & SONS, NOS. 129 AND 131 S. FOURTH STREET. Sale at the Auction Rooms. SUPERIOR DUTCH FLOWER ROOTS. On Saturday Afternoon, October 1, at 4 o'clock, superior Dutch Flower Roots. 9 30 3t

SALE OF REAL ESTATE AND STOCKS, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Philadelphia Exchange, will include:—THIRD and SLOSSMAN, N. E. corner—Store and Dwelling. SLOSSMAN—Dwelling and Building Lot. DAWBY ROAD and MILL CREEK—Coal Wharf, four Dwellings, Office, Stable, and large Lot. STRICK, No. 1712—Modern Residence. GREEN, No. 1711—Elegant Residence and large Lot. ARCH, No. 2009—Modern Residence. SIXTEENTH and VINE, S. W. corner—Store and Dwelling. ST. JOHN, No. 423—Frame Dwelling. CAMDEN, N. J.—Stevens street, Nos. 424 and 229. TWO MOORE'S BRICK DWELLINGS. ELYNETH STREET (North), No. 404—Modern Residence. RACE STREET, No. 1033—Modern Residence. SWINBUR STREET, No. 2408—Modern Residence. TWENTY-SECOND STREET (North), No. 2015—Modern Residence. WEST LOGAN SQUARE, No. 346—Elegant Brown Stone Residence. PINE and WATER STREETS, N. E. Corner—Store, LEITHWOOD and CANAL and FOURTH STREETS, S. E. Corner—Large Lot. FAYETTE CO., Pa.—1600 Acres Coal, Iron, and Timber Lands. BRIDGE STREET, No. 2010—Elegant Brown Stone Residence. JONAH STREET, No. 1424—Modern Residence. SECOND STREET, SOUTH of MASTER—LOT. ELEVEN STREET, above VILMONT—Store and Dwelling. FOURTH STREET, NOS. 1408 and 1410—Two Modern Dwellings. TWENTY-SECOND STREET (North), No. 2021—Modern Dwelling. VINE STREET, between CHURCH and UNITY, Frankford—Lot. FIFTEENTH STREET, near DAUPHIN—TWO LOTS. PACIFIC STREET—TWO LOTS. COATES STREET, No. 2229—Brick Dwelling. MOSS STREET, No. 615—Brick Dwelling. 20 GROUND RENTS—\$36, \$309.96, \$22.50, \$11.93 and \$10.00. MONUMENT CEMETERY—47 Lots, Section A, and 39 Lots, Section D.

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Gropings Amid the Past.

ARCHEOLOGY IN ENGLAND—THE HOME OF WATER-SAYAGE LANDOR.

This month the British Archeological Society is taking a peculiarly interesting excursion. The members met at Hereford on the 8th instant, and the next day took a trip to Llanthony Abbey. A large party left the Great Western Railway for Llanthangel, a station on the Newport, Abergavenny and Hereford Railway, distance about fifteen miles from Hereford and about four from Abergavenny. Here coaches from Abergavenny were waiting their arrival, and the rest of the journey (six miles) was performed by road. The scenery throughout the journey was very beautiful, and its beauty was enhanced by gleams of sunshine and shadows of passing clouds which occasionally touched the mountain tops.

Approaching Llanthangel, the Holy Mountain has a singular appearance. It is a conical hill, a portion of which has slipped away from the main body—the effect of a landslide, but the subject of superstitious legends. The "Sugar Loaf" towers above all the mountains in the neighborhood of Abergavenny—a miniature Vesuvius, without the volcano, 1856 feet high. The summit commands views of great extent and magnificence, overlooking ranges of mountains on the north and west, and extending to the Malvern hills on the east. There is a good road from Llanthangel to Llanthony Abbey, for the greater part of which the public and private roads are indebted to the late Walter Savage Landor, who was the owner of Llanthony and the manor pertaining thereto, and to whose family it still belongs. The road winds all the way up the romantic little valley of the Honduh, a small mountain stream, whose crystal waters are rarely soiled with dirt, even in wet weather. A mile or two from Llanthangel a singular cave or recess in the hills is called the Yoke, and Cwmny Church and village of two or three houses, on the east slope of the hills, form a beautiful picture. Indeed, the views all over the valley are very beautiful and varied. High hills or mountains, called the Hatterill Hills—springs of the Black Mountains—rising from the little rivule on each side. Llanthony Abbey is situated on the north

CITY ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE To Make an Appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park. Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of ten thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to item 3 of an ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the expenses of the year 1870, approved December 29, 1869.

LOUIS WAGNER, President of Common Council. Attest—JOHN EKSTEIN, Clerk of Common Council. SAMUEL W. CATTELL, President of Select Council. Approved this twenty-seventh day of September, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy (A. D. 1870).